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BY FACSIMILE

Honorable Sidney H. Stein
United States District Judge
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

MEMO ENDORSED

Re: Patricia A. Grant v. NYC Department of Education, et. al.
08 CV 02189

Dear Judge Stein:

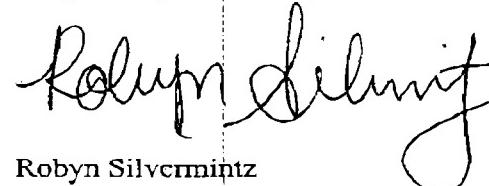
I am an Assistant Corporation Counsel in the Labor and Employment Law Division of the New York City Law Department and the attorney assigned to the defense of the New York City Department of Education ("DOE") defendant in this action. I am writing on behalf of DOE defendant to respectfully request an extension of time, from May 15, 2008 until June 16, 2008, for the DOE to respond to the complaint. Plaintiff, who is proceeding *pro se*, consents to this request. This is DOE's first request for an extension of time to respond to the complaint.

The reason for this request is that DOE and this office needs additional time to investigate the

allegations in the complaint before answering or otherwise responding.

Thank you for your consideration in this regard.

Respectfully submitted,



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The Report of Education's
response to the complaint will be
filed by June 16, 2008.

cc: **BY OVERNIGHT MAIL**
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Honorable Theodore H. Katz
United States Magistrate Judge
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SO ORDERED



THEODORE H. KATZ
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE